



WEASENHAM PARISH COUNCIL

Community Building Access Statement

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1. General Statement

Normal pedestrian access to the Community Building is via the concrete path from the car park. Ideally, all persons visiting the Building will use this path.

2. Exceptions for Heavy/Bulky Loads

Where heavy or bulky loads need to be taken to the Community Building, or where contractual work needs to be carried out, vehicles may be driven across the grass to the building. Please note that this should only be done when absolutely necessary. Also note that at certain times of the year, especially the wetter months, the ground from the car park to the Community Building can become waterlogged, therefore a visual inspection on foot is recommended wherever possible at those times.

3. Wheelchair Users

The concrete path to the Community Building has been inspected by Breckland Council (April 2024) and is deemed more than adequate for those using a wheelchair. However, where a wheelchair user feels that they cannot safely or comfortably negotiate the path, then they may drive, or be driven, up to the door of the Building.

4. Field Security

To keep the field secure and free of unwanted vehicles, the main gate is kept locked. Anyone requiring vehicular access to the field, should contact the Clerk on 07594 410101 or Cllr Tom McClenaghan on 07809 375942.

5. Health and Safety, etc.

Irrespective of who is driving across the grass to the Community Building, great care should be taken to ensure the safety of any person using the Recreation Field, particularly children. Speed should be kept at an absolute minimum.

Where the ground is wet, care should be taken to limit any damage to the grass.

Under no circumstances should vehicles be driven on any part of the concrete pathway.